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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Takeo MATSUDA, et al.

Docket No: Q77500

Appln. No.: 10/677,246

Group Art Unit: 2813

Confirmation No.: 9097

Examiner: Thanh T. Nguyen

Filed: October 03, 2003

For: PANEL, LIQUID CRYSTAL PROJECTOR, IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE, AND DIGITAL IMAGE RECOGNITION DEVICE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement, dated November 16, 2004, Applicants elect Group 1, claims 1-7 & 13-17 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicants reserve the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 8-12.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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